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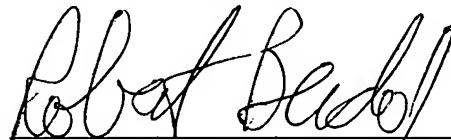
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This is an information disclosure statement submitted in compliance with the timing requirements of 37 C.F.R. §1.97(b)(1).

Reference, cited on page 1 of the specification of the above-identified application, is listed on the attached Form PTO-1449. As this application is filed after June 30, 2003, no copy of U.S. patent should be submitted with the IDS listing pursuant to the Notice of U.S. Patent & Trademark Office posted on the USPTO website on July 11, 2003.

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Respectfully submitted,



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